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Sir:

Attached please find the application papers of Marc FLEURY, Gabriel RINGOT, covering new and useful improvements in IMPROVED DEVICE FOR MEASURING PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS OF A POROUS SAMPLE, comprising:

Specification, Eight (8) Claims and Abstract of the Disclosure (20 pages)

Four (4) Sheets of Drawings Showing Figures 1-8

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Letter Claiming Right of Priority and Certified Copy of French Patent Application No. 97/06.434

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